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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

(Case No. 98,736)

In re Application of:

Roderick L. Hall, et al.

Serial No.: 09/218,913

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For: A METHOD FOR ACCELERATING
THE RATE OF MUCOLICIARY
CLEARANCE



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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In regard to the above identified application:

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- b. Return postcard.

2. With respect to additional fees:

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3. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION: Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Emily Miao".

Dated: 2/17/00

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